August 10, 2000

FDA Dockets Management Branch 30012th St. SW Room 102 Cotton Annex Washington, DC 20250

RE: Docket No. 00N-0504

Dear Docket Clerk:

I am writing to ask you to prohibit forced molting of hens, which is a primary source of salmonella in laying hens and is inhumane.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

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